संचार मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (श्री विजय एन० पाटिल): (क) और (ख) डाक तार विभाग में अतिरिक्त विभागीय एजेंटों की सेवा शर्तों की समीक्षा करने के लिए एक सदस्यीय जांच समिति के गठन का प्रस्ताव विचाराधीन है।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Tender for AIR Building at Kota

1380. SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the tender for A.I.R. building at Kota (Rajasthan) has been received and approved; and

(b) if so, when the actual construction of the building is likely to be started and completed?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) and (b) The tenders have been invited. The last date is not yet over. Finalisation will be done after evaluating the tenders received. The building work is likely to be completed by July, 1985.

Closing of Sorting Sections of R.M.S.

1381. SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have closed the sorting sections of Railway Mail Service resulting in considerable delay in delivery of mail;

(b) whether it is a fact that the affected persons in the sections between Barauni and Sahibgunj in Eastern Railway have lodged a protest to the Minister by their letter, dated the 4th May, 1984; and

(c) if so, what measures have been taken by Government in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI VIJAY N. PATIL): (a) It is a fact that in pursuance of a policy decision taken to withdraw sorting from sections working in running trains, many sorting sections have been converted into transit sections. It is, however, not correct that this has led to heavy delay in transmission of mails.

(b) and (c) No representation has been received from the officials who were working in running sections between Barauni and Sahibgunj against the conversion of the section.

Strike by Coal mine workers

1382. SHRI K. MOHANAN:
SHRI NIRMAL CHATTERJEE:

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the management of Coal India Limited have started taking vindictive action against the leaders and the participants of the successful country-wide strike launched by the coal mine workers on June 4 and 5, 1984. and

(b) if so, whether Government propose to withdraw the punitive measures taken by the management of Coal India Limited and if so, when?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COAL IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Recommendations of Rajyadhyaksha Committee on Power

1383. SHRI V. GOPALSAMY: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what are the major recommendations of the Rajyadhyaksha Committee on Power;